Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 10:49:42 -0400
From: Bill Meara <wmeara@erols.com>
Subject: Re: SOFTWARE DOR XTAL FILTER'S

At 03:13 PM 1/25/98 PST, you wrote:
>Hi gang,
>Some time back I saw a message posted on one of the "list's" reference
>somewhere a software program was available for modeling or designing
>CRYSTAL FILTERS.
>
>Does anyone have this information, or can anyone tell me of any "programs"
>that are available?
>
>73 John

John: Wes Hayward describes filter design using the x.exe program in an
article in the June 1995 issue of QEX.   The article indicates that this
program is available as part of the software package that comes with the
ARRL publication "Intro to RF Design".   January 95 QEX has an article by
Jacob Makhinson, N6NWP, on his experiences with the programs in this
package.   Both articles are reprinted in the ARRL's recent book, "QRP
Power".   Good luck!
73 de N2CQR
Bill Meara, Falls Church, Virginia
wmeara@erols.com   G-QRP #7965
http://www.mindspring.com/~johnmb/billm.htm

Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 12:03:51 -0500 (EST)
From: lee1@digital.net
Subject: selectoject pot

Thanks gang for all the good info.
Replacred 5 meg pot with a dual 2.5
meg one and now it works much better.
2.5 megs seems to be the most
agreed upon size and as I had one
around that is what I used.
Again thanks for all the good dope.
73 73 73

Thank the good LORD for all that you have!!!

67yr old semi disabled senior   trying to get code speed to 13wpm
(stroke got my eyesight, balance & coordination) SO ONLY BA'S NO SOLID STATE

Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 17:11:47 -0400
From: "Brian Carling" <bry@mnsinc.com>
Subject: New Newsgroup: alt.binaries.pictures.radio

Find the GREAT radio pictures you have always wanted on computer, at:

alt.binaries.pictures.radio

The great new newsgroup for GIF and JPG radio picture sharing!

Let your INTERNET SERVICE PROVIDER (ISP) know if you can't get it on
your system. E-mail their tech support people or call them and tell
them:

"I WANT YOU TO START CARRYING THE NEWSGROUP:
alt.binaries.pictures.radio"

Help top spread the word!! If anyone needs help getting the picture
files or viewing them, let me know!

Regards - Bry, AF4K

Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 19:25:46 -0500 (EST)
From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Subject: Re: [BoatAnchors] New Newsgroup: alt.binaries.pictures.radio

hi there, blind people can't get any thing out of that.

On Mon, 26 Jan 1998, Brian Carling wrote:

> Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 17:11:47 -0400
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> Submissions boatanchors@qth.net
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Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 19:13:12 -0700 (MST)
From: Terry Dobler <kj7f@micron.net>
Subject: Origin of CQ

Gang,

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questions I couldn't answer.   Where did CQ originate, also CQD
and SOS and why the change from CQD to SOS.   I remember them
being discussed some time back but couldn't find them.

Terry KJ7F

kj7f@micron.net (Boise, Idaho) http://netnow.micron.net/~kj7f

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Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 18:52:30 -0800
From: Adam McLaughlin <kd6poc@jps.net>
Subject: Re: [BoatAnchors] New Newsgroup: alt.binaries.pictures.radio

Hi There,

How about the people that could?

Very 73,

Adam

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Adam McLaughlin KD6POC
KD6POC@JPS.net
http://www.jps.net/jmclaugh/adam.htm
ICQ #6147499
AIM "Screen Name" is: kd6poc
"We are the dreamers, and we are the music makers"
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Date: Mon, 26 Jan 1998 22:03:20 -0500 (EST)
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From: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
Subject: Re: [BoatAnchors] New Newsgroup: alt.binaries.pictures.radio

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hi there, how about posting what blind people can understand,,,heheheh

On Mon, 26 Jan 1998, Adam McLaughlin wrote:

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> To: Dana Yeomans <dana@randomc.Com>
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Date: Tue, 27 Jan 1998 06:12:49 +0000
From: Sandy W5TVW <ebjr@worldnet.att.net>
Subject: Re: Origin of CQ

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At 07:13 PM 1/26/98 -0700, you wrote:
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>Terry KJ7F
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>kj7f@micron.net (Boise, Idaho) http://netnow.micron.net/~kj7f
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>   I always assumed CQ was derived from "seek you". I do know that
the change from CQD to SOS was done to prevent confusion in situations
where signals were poor in a high noise level. There is nothing that is
as distinctive as the group SOS send as one group (no interletter spaces)
thusly ...._ _ _ ...
73,
E. V. Sandy Blaize, W5TVW
"Boat Anchors collected, restored, repaired, traded and used!"
417 Ridgewood Drive
Metairie, LA., 70001

860 Hartley 'ECO' construction "on hold"**
*** Looking for a TRC-10 transceiver ******
*** Looking for an RAL receiver ***********

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Date: Tue, 27 Jan 1998 06:13:33 GMT
From: wrt@eskimo.com (Bill Turner)
Subject: Re: Origin of CQ

On Mon, 26 Jan 1998 19:13:12 -0700 (MST), Terry Dobler
<kj7f@micron.net> wrote:

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>Terry KJ7F
> =20
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Tribal knowledge has it that CQ was just simply derived from "seek
you". CQD supposedly was "come quick, danger" and SOS was a
replacement for CQD because it was easier to remember in Morse code.
Supposedly it also meant "save our ship" or "save our souls". =20

As to exactly when and where, I doubt if anyone really knows for sure.

73, Bill W7TI

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Date: Tue, 27 Jan 1998 03:02:31 -0800 (PST)
From: Ken Gordon <keng@uidaho.edu>
Subject: Re: Origin of CQ

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> as distinctive as the group SOS send as one group (no interletter spaces)
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CQD = COME QUICK DANGER.  Too easy to mis-read under noisy conditions.
Changed by some sort of international cooperative agreement to

SOS (sometimes phonetisized to "SAVE OUR SOULS")

Don't remember the dates.

Ken W7EKB
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End of glowbugs V1 #231
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